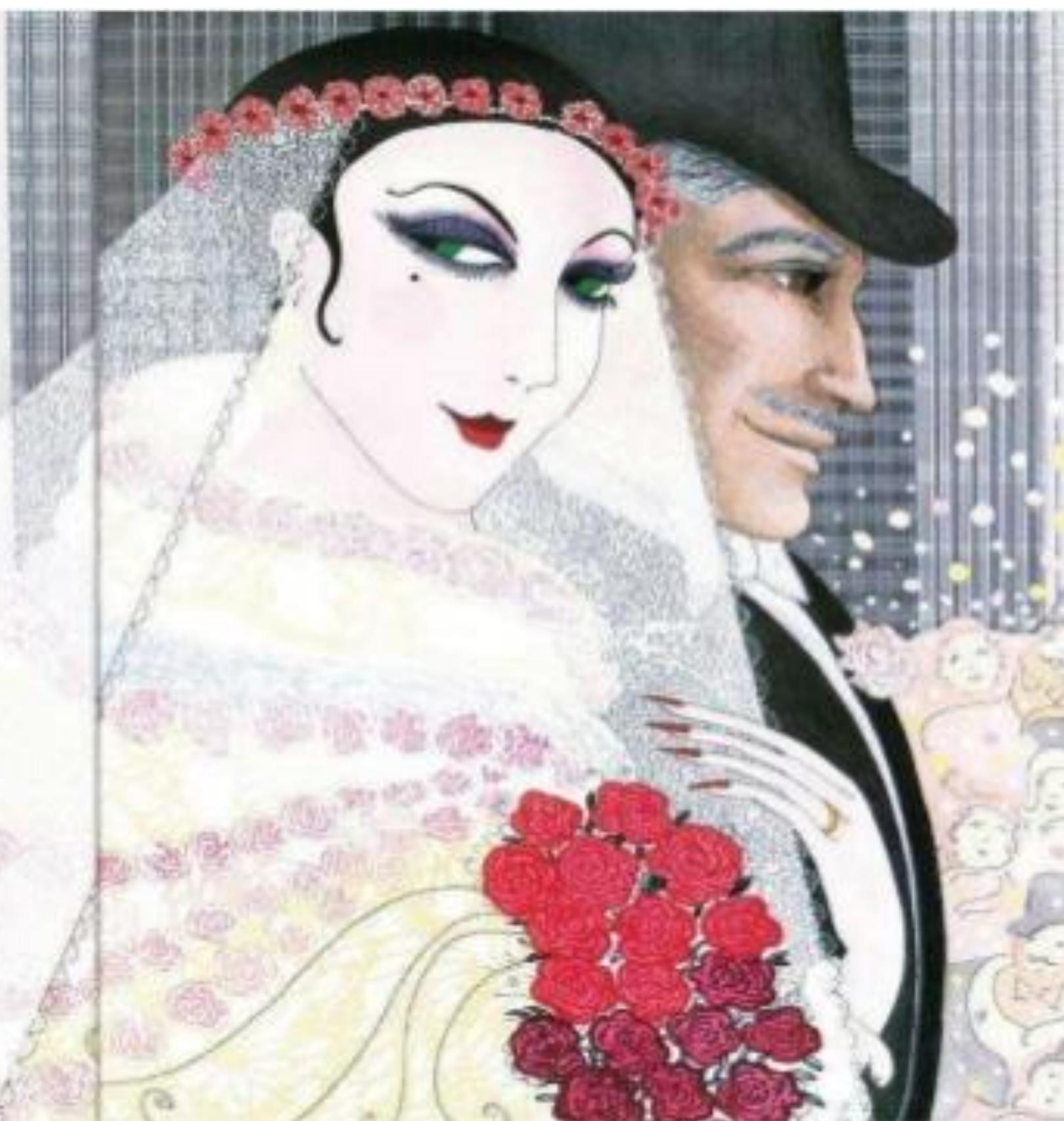
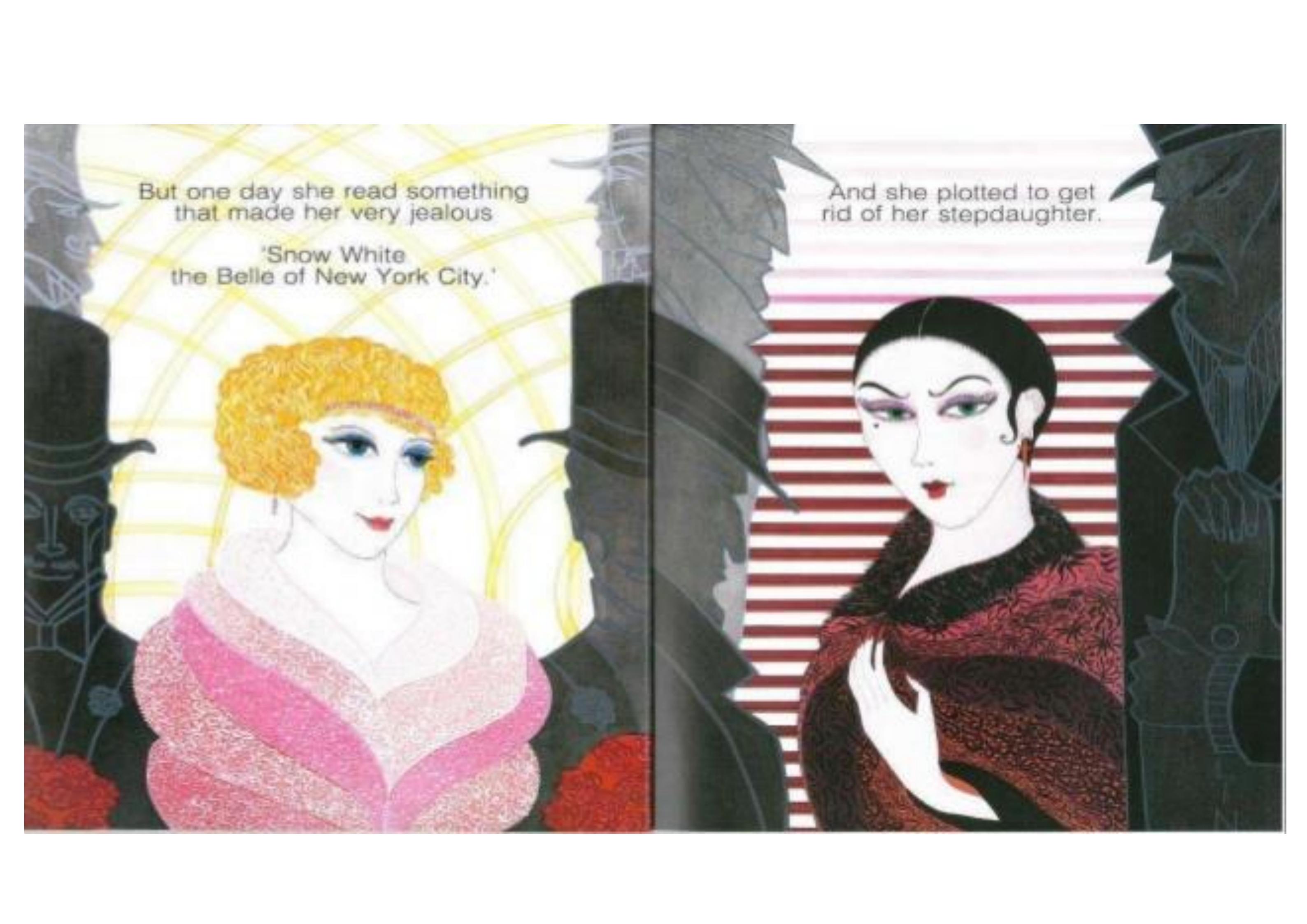


Once upon a time in New York there was a poor little rich girl called Snow White. Her mother was dead and for a while she lived happily with her father. But one day he married again . . .



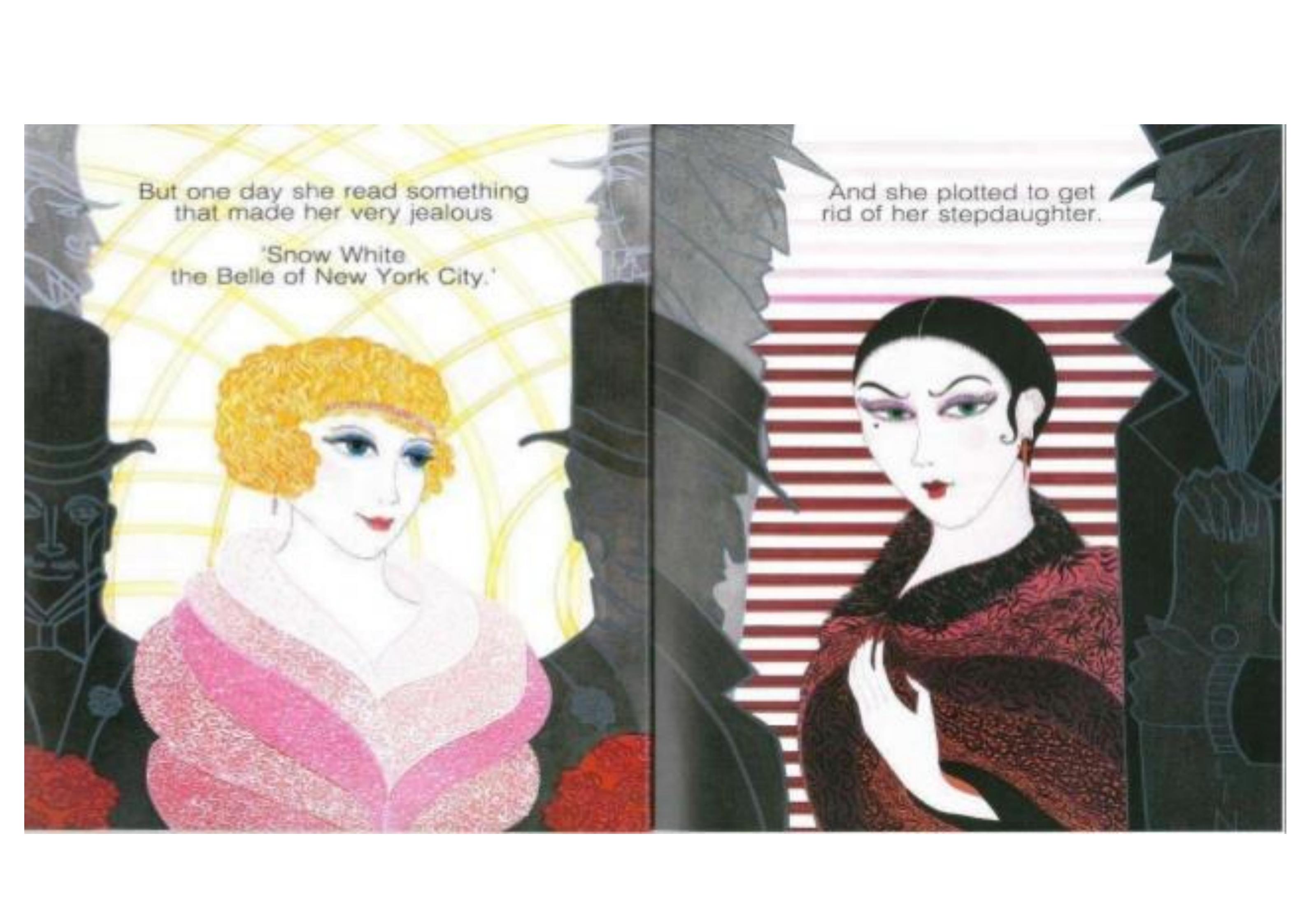
All the papers said that  
Snow White's stepmother was  
the classiest dame in New York. But  
no one knew that she was the Queen  
of the Underworld. She liked to see herself  
in the New York Mirror.



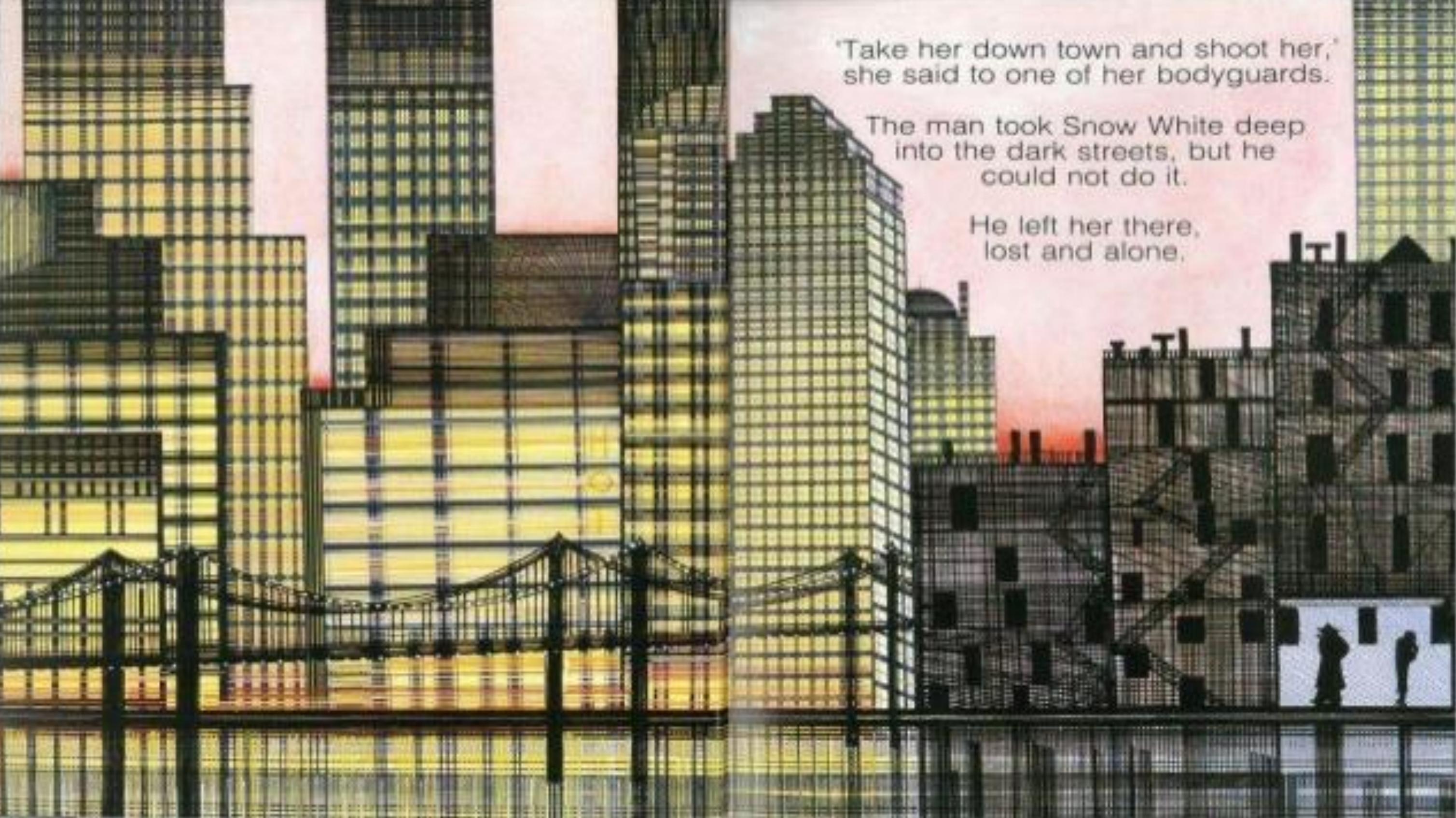


But one day she read something  
that made her very jealous

'Snow White  
the Belle of New York City.'



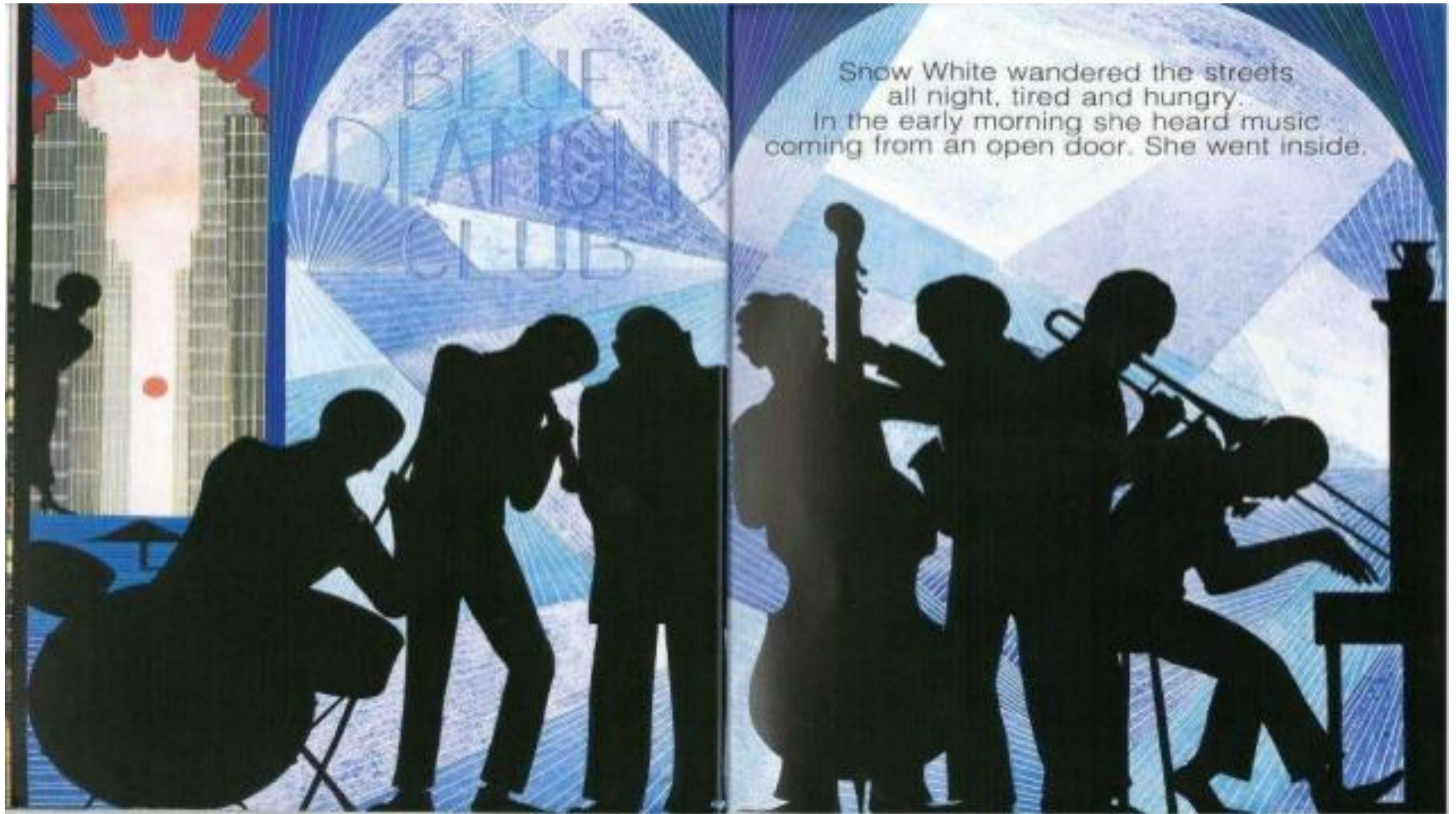
And she plotted to get  
rid of her stepdaughter.



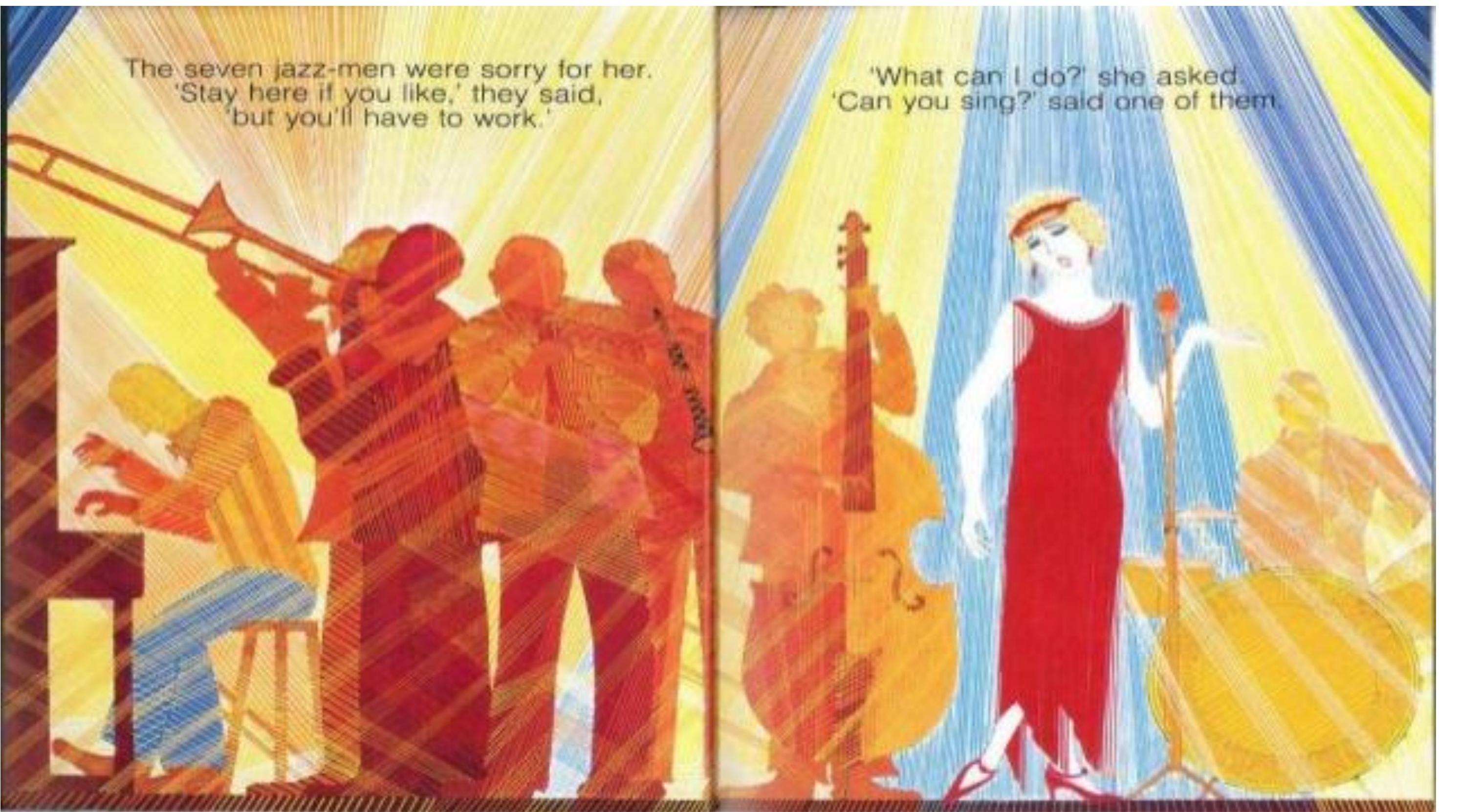
'Take her down town and shoot her,'  
she said to one of her bodyguards.

The man took Snow White deep  
into the dark streets, but he  
could not do it.

He left her there,  
lost and alone,

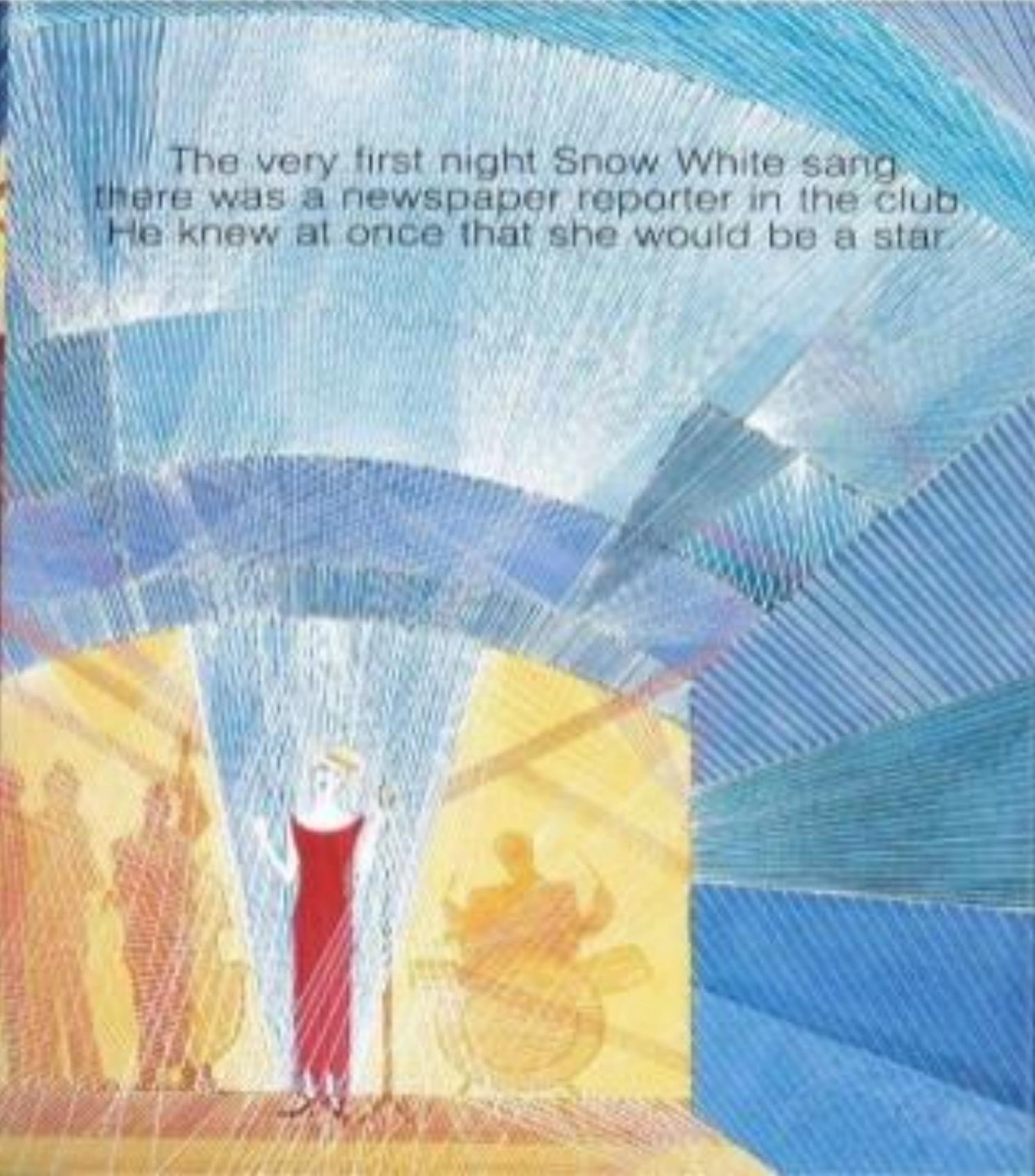


Snow White wandered the streets  
all night, tired and hungry.  
In the early morning she heard music  
coming from an open door. She went inside.



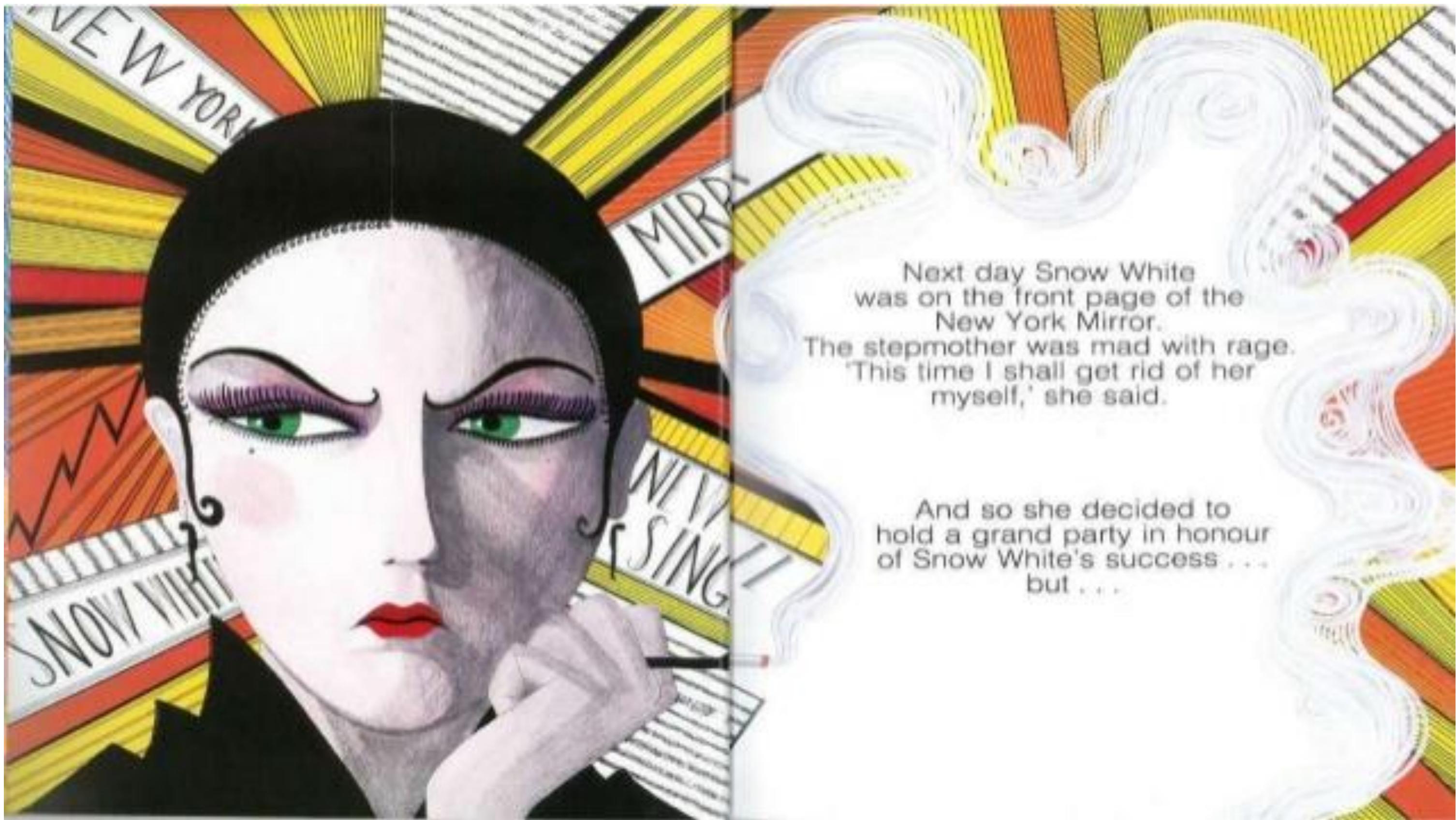
The seven jazz-men were sorry for her.  
‘Stay here if you like,’ they said,  
‘but you’ll have to work.’

‘What can I do?’ she asked.  
‘Can you sing?’ said one of them.



The very first night Snow White sang  
there was a newspaper reporter in the club.  
He knew at once that she would be a star.

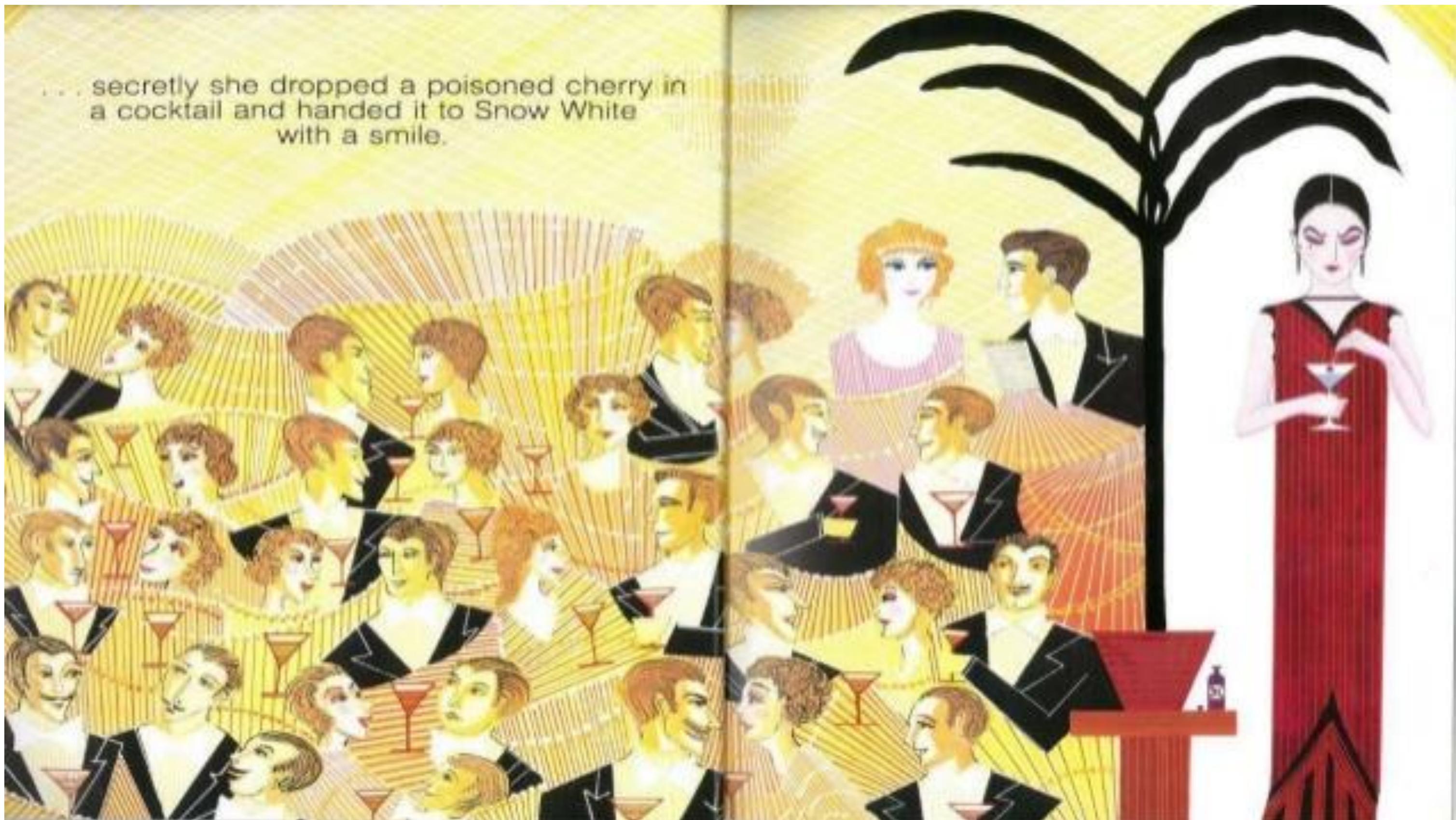




Next day Snow White  
was on the front page of the  
New York Mirror.  
The stepmother was mad with rage.  
'This time I shall get rid of her  
myself,' she said.

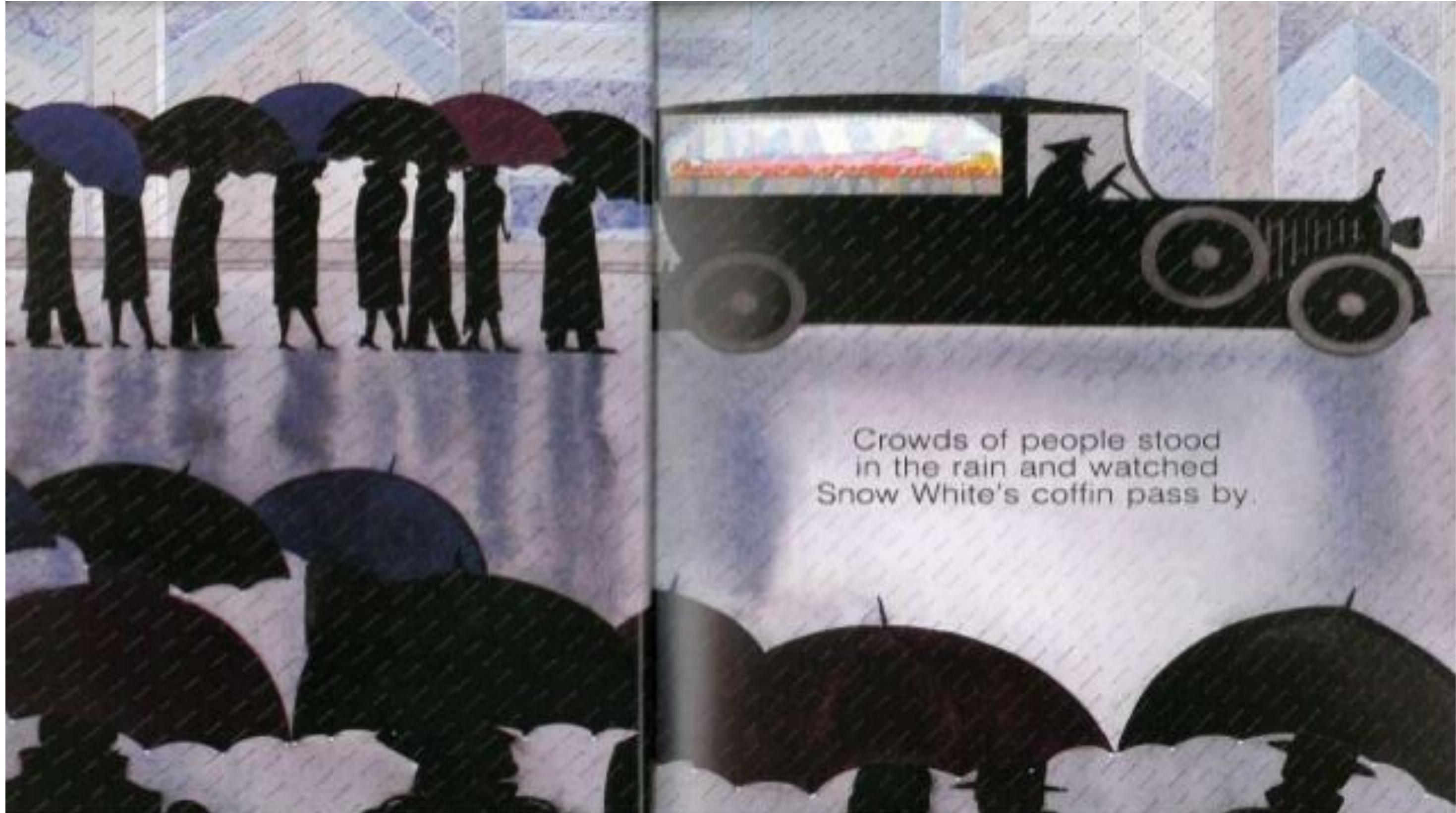
And so she decided to  
hold a grand party in honour  
of Snow White's success . . .  
but . . .

... secretly she dropped a poisoned cherry in a cocktail and handed it to Snow White with a smile.





All New York  
was shocked by  
the death of  
beautiful  
Snow White.



Crowds of people stood  
in the rain and watched  
Snow White's coffin pass by.



The seven jazz-men,  
their hearts broken,  
carried the coffin  
unsteadily up the  
church steps.

Suddenly one  
of them stumbled,  
and, to everyone's  
amazement,  
Snow White  
opened her eyes



The first person she saw  
was the reporter.  
He smiled at her and  
she smiled back.  
The poisoned cherry that  
had been stuck in her  
throat was gone.  
She was alive.

Snow White and the reporter fell in love,  
They had a big society wedding,  
and the next day cruised off on  
a glorious honeymoon together.

